

1. B

$$i\sqrt{i\sqrt{\dots}} = c$$

$$i\sqrt{c} = c$$

$$-c = c^2$$

$$c = 0, -1$$

$$i\sqrt{i\sqrt{\dots}} \neq 0$$

$$i\sqrt{i\sqrt{\dots}} = -1$$

2. C

$$d = \sqrt{(4-11)^2 + (-7-17)^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{49 + 576} = \sqrt{625} = 25$$

3. A

$$\sqrt{-4} \times \sqrt{-3} \quad ? \quad \sqrt{(-4)(-3)}$$

$$(2i) \times i\sqrt{3} \quad ? \quad \sqrt{12}$$

$$-2\sqrt{3} \quad < \quad 2\sqrt{3}$$

4. B

$$|4i| \times |3i| \quad ? \quad |4i \times 3i|$$

$$4 \times 3 \quad ? \quad |-12|$$

$$12 \quad = \quad 12$$

5. B

Let $z_1 = a + bi$ and let $z_2 = c + di$.

$$\begin{aligned} p(x) &= (x - (a + bi))(x - (c + di)) \\ &= x^2 - x((a + bi) + (c + di)) + (a + bi)(c + di) \\ &= x^2 - x(a + c + (b + d)i) + ac - bd + (bc + ad)i \end{aligned}$$

$$b + d = 0$$

$$b = -d$$

$$bc + ad = 0$$

$$bc - ab = 0$$

$$b(c - a) = 0$$

$$b \neq 0, \therefore c - a = 0$$

$$c = a$$

Therefore, when $z_1 = a + bi$, $z_2 = c + di = a - bi$.Also, if $z_1 = a + bi$ and $z_2 = \bar{z}_1 = a - bi$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x) &= (x - (a + bi))(x - (a - bi)) \\ &= x^2 - x((a + bi) + (a - bi)) + (a + bi)(a - bi) \\ &= x^2 - 2ax + (a^2 + b^2) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if $z_1 = \bar{z}_2$ then the coefficients of $p(x)$ are real, and if the coefficients of $p(x)$ are real then $z_1 = \bar{z}_2$.**Counterexample:** $1 + i, -1 - i \rightarrow x^2 - 2i$
(disproves all incorrect answers)

6. B

$$\frac{\left[4\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right]^3 \left[\sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(\frac{11\pi}{6}\right)\right]}{\sqrt{8}\text{cis}\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)} = \frac{\left[64\text{cis}\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)\right] \left[\sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(\frac{11\pi}{6}\right)\right]}{2\sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)} =$$

$$= \frac{64 \times \sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{2}} \text{cis}\left(\frac{3\pi}{2} + \frac{11\pi}{6} - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = 32\text{cis}(3\pi) = -32$$

7. C

$$re^{i\theta} = \sqrt[4]{-1}$$

$$r^4 e^{4i\theta} = -1$$

$$r^4 e^{4i\theta} = 1 \operatorname{cis}(\pi + 2\pi k)$$

$$r^4 e^{4i\theta} = 1e^{i\pi + 2\pi k}$$

$$r = 1$$

$$4\theta = \pi + 2\pi k$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{2}k$$

$$re^{i\theta} = e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{2}k\right)} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i$$

$$|ab| = \left| \left(\pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \left(\pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) \right| = \frac{1}{2}$$

8. C

$$re^{i\theta} = \sqrt[5]{-6 - 2i\sqrt{3}}$$

$$(re^{i\theta})^5 = \left(\sqrt[5]{-6 - 2i\sqrt{3}} \right)^5$$

$$r^5 e^{i5\theta} = 4\sqrt{3} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i \right)$$

$$r^5 e^{i5\theta} = 4\sqrt{3} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i \right)$$

$$r^5 e^{i5\theta} = 4\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{7\pi}{6} + 2\pi k\right)$$

$$5\theta = \frac{7\pi}{6} + 2\pi k$$

$$\theta = \frac{7\pi + 12\pi k}{30}$$

$$\theta = \frac{7\pi}{30}, \frac{19\pi}{30}, \frac{31\pi}{30}, \frac{43\pi}{30}, \frac{55\pi}{30}$$

$$\frac{7\pi}{30} + \frac{19\pi}{30} + \frac{31\pi}{30} + \frac{43\pi}{30} + \frac{55\pi}{30} = \frac{31\pi}{6}$$

9. A

$$z = a + 3i$$

$$z^2 = a^2 - 9 + 6ai$$

$$z^3 = a^3 - 27a + i(9a^2 - 27)$$

$$\operatorname{Re}(z^2) = a^2 - 9$$

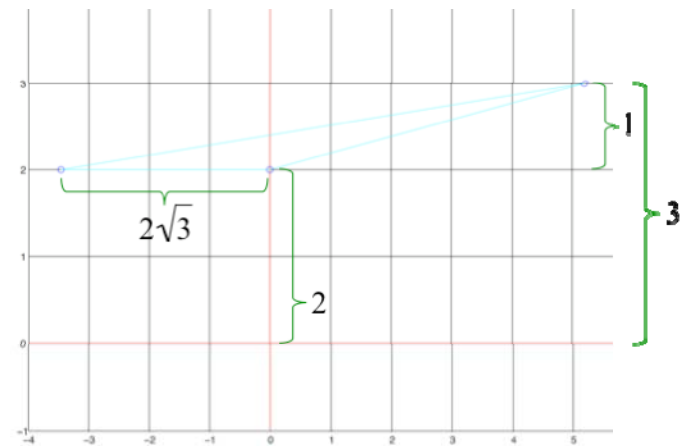
$$\operatorname{Im}(z^3) = 9a^2 - 27$$

$$a^2 - 9 = 9a^2 - 27$$

$$a^2 = \frac{18}{8}$$

$$|\operatorname{Re}(z)| = |a| = \left| \pm \frac{3}{2} \right| = \frac{3}{2}$$

10. B



$$A = \frac{1}{2}bh = \frac{1}{2}(2\sqrt{3})(1) = \sqrt{3}$$

11. C

$$\text{I. } 3\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}(60^\circ)$$

$$\text{II. } 3\sqrt{3}e^{i\frac{7\pi}{3}} = 3\sqrt{3}e^{i\frac{7\pi}{3} - 2\pi} = 3\sqrt{3}e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}} = 3\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}(60^\circ)$$

$$\text{III. } \frac{9}{2} + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}i = 3\sqrt{3} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i \right) = 3\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}(30^\circ)$$

$$\text{IV. } 3\sqrt{3} \left(\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + i \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \right) = 3\sqrt{3} \left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right) = 3\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}(60^\circ)$$

$$\text{I} = \text{II} = \text{IV} \neq \text{III}$$

12. C

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x_1 - x_2 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} - \frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{a}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{a} = \frac{\sqrt{(2i)^2 - 4(1)(-i\sqrt{3})}}{1} = \sqrt{-4 + 4i\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\left| \sqrt{-4 + 4i\sqrt{3}} \right| = \left| \sqrt{8 \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i \right)} \right| = \left| \left(8 \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3} \right)^{1/2} \right| = 2\sqrt{2}$$

13. A

$$C_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 4i & -1 & 0 \\ 6 & 3 & 1 \\ -5i & i & -2i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -[(24 + 5i + 0) - (0 - 4 + 12i)]$$

$$= -[28 - 7i] = -28 + 7i$$

$$\det(A) = a_{ij}C_{ij}$$

$$\det(A) = a_{32}C_{32}$$

$$\det(A) = (1)(-28 + 7i) = -28 + 7i$$

14. B

If $f(x)$ has only real coefficients, then for any root with a non-zero imaginary component, the conjugate of that root must also be a solution to $f(x) = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x - (-3i))(x - (3i))(x - (5 + 2i))(x - (5 - 2i)) \\ &= (x^2 + 9)(x^2 - 10x + 29) \\ &= x^4 - 10x^3 + 38x^2 - 90x + 261 \end{aligned}$$

$$a + b + c + d + e = 1 - 10 + 38 - 90 + 261 = 200$$

15. B

$$(2i - 9)z = n + 0i$$

$$(2i - 9)(a + bi) = n + 0i$$

$$-9a - 2b + i(2a - 9b) = n + 0i$$

$$2a - 9b = 0$$

$$a = \frac{9b}{2}$$

$$-9a - 2b = n$$

$$-9\left(\frac{9b}{2}\right) - 2b = n$$

$$-85b = 2n$$

16. C

$$4z - 3i\bar{z} = 10 + 3i$$

$$4(a + bi) - 3i(a - bi) = 10 + 3i$$

$$4a - 3b + i(-3a + 4b) = 10 + 3i$$

$$4a - 3b = 10 \quad -3a + 4b = 3$$

$$a = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 10 & -3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -3 & 4 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{40 + 9}{16 - 9} = 7 \quad b = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 4 & 10 \\ -3 & 3 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -3 & 4 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{12 + 30}{16 - 9} = 6$$

$$a - b = 7 - 6 = 1$$

17. D

Let $z = x + yi$

$$\operatorname{Re}\left((x + yi) + (x - yi)^2\right) = 2$$

$$\operatorname{Re}(x + yi + x^2 - y^2 - 2xyi) = 2$$

$$x^2 + x - y^2 = 2$$

$$\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - y^2 = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\frac{(x + \frac{1}{2})^2}{\frac{4}{9}} - \frac{y^2}{\frac{4}{9}} = 1$$

18. A

$$1 - i = \sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\sqrt{6} \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \sqrt{3} + i\sqrt{3}$$

$$\frac{2 \left[\sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right] \left[\sqrt{6} \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) \right]}{(1-i) + (\sqrt{3} + i\sqrt{3})} = \frac{4\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}(0)}{(1+\sqrt{3}) + i(-1+\sqrt{3})}$$

$$\arctan\left(\frac{-1+\sqrt{3}}{1+\sqrt{3}}\right) = \arctan(2-\sqrt{3}) = 15^\circ$$

$$c \cos(15^\circ) = 1 + \sqrt{3}$$

$$c = (1 + \sqrt{3}) \left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} \right) = (1 + \sqrt{3}) \left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}} \right) \left(\frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}} \right) \theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{2\pi}{3}k$$

$$c = (1 + \sqrt{3})(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}) = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{4\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis}(0)}{\sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis}(15^\circ)} = 2\sqrt{6} e^{-i15^\circ}$$

19. A

$$\begin{aligned} \binom{7}{6-1} (2x)^2 (-i)^{6-1} &= \frac{7!}{5!2!} (4x^2)(-1)^5 (i)^5 \\ &= \frac{7 \times 6}{2 \times 1} (4x^2)(-1)(i) \\ &= -84ix^2 \end{aligned}$$

20. C

For $y = 2$,

$$(8x^3 + 27)(2)^2 - 8x^3 + 4 = 31$$

$$32x^3 + 108 - 8x^3 + 4 = 31$$

$$x^3 = -\frac{81}{24} = -\frac{27}{8}$$

$$(re^{i\theta})^3 = -\frac{27}{8}$$

$$r^3 = \frac{81}{16} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$e^{3i\theta} = e^{i(\pi+2\pi k)}$$

$$3\theta = \pi + 2\pi k$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{2\pi}{3}k$$

$$x = \frac{3}{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{3}, \quad \frac{3}{2} \operatorname{cis} \pi, \quad \frac{3}{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{5\pi}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}i, \quad -\frac{3}{2}, \quad \frac{3}{4} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}i$$

21. A

$$(a + bi)^2 = 9 - 40i$$

$$a^2 - b^2 + 2abi = 9 - 40i$$

$$a^2 - b^2 = 9 \quad 2ab = -40$$

$$a^2 = 9 + b^2 \quad b\sqrt{9+b^2} = -20$$

$$b^2(9+b^2) = 400$$

$$b^4 + 9b^2 - 400 = 0$$

$$(b^2 - 16)(b^2 + 25) = 0$$

$$b = \{\pm 4, \pm 5i\}, \quad b < 0 \rightarrow b = -4$$

$$a^2 = 9 + (-4)^2 = 25$$

$$a = \pm 5, \quad a > 0 \rightarrow a = 5$$

$$a + b = 5 + (-4) = 1$$

22. A

Because $g(x)$ is a 6th degree polynomial, there are 6 complex roots of $g(x)$. I is therefore true.

By Descartes' rule of signs, there are either 3 or 1 positive real roots and either 3 or 1 negative real roots. The chart below shows all possible combinations of the nature of the roots:

Positive Real Roots	Negative Real Roots	Total Real Roots	Total Complex with Imaginary Component
3	3	6	0
3	1	4	2
1	3	4	2
1	1	2	4

Therefore, II cannot be true, III cannot be true, and IV cannot be true.

23. D was changed to E at the convention by the resolution center.

If $z_1 = 2e^{i\pi}$ and $z_2 = 4e^{i\pi}$,

$$|2e^{i\pi} + 4e^{i\pi}| \quad ? \quad |2e^{i\pi}| + |4e^{i\pi}|$$

$$|6e^{i\pi}| \quad ? \quad 2 + 4$$

$$6 = 6$$

$$|z_1 + z_2| \text{ can be equal to } |z_1| + |z_2|.$$

Therefore, I is false.

$$\left| \frac{r_1 e^{i\theta}}{r_2 e^{i\phi}} \right| = |r_1 e^{i\theta}| \div |r_2 e^{i\phi}|$$

$$\left| \frac{r_1}{r_2} e^{i(\theta-\phi)} \right| = r_1 \div r_2$$

$$\frac{r_1}{r_2} = \frac{r_1}{r_2}$$

Therefore, II is true.

$$\overline{z_1 - z_2} \quad ? \quad \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}$$

$$z_1 = a + bi \quad z_2 = c + di$$

$$\overline{(a + bi) - (c + di)} \quad ? \quad \overline{(a + bi)} + \overline{(c + di)}$$

$$\overline{(a - c) + (b - d)i} \quad ? \quad (a - bi) + (c - di)$$

$$(a - c) - (b - d)i \quad ? \quad (a + c) + (-b - d)i$$

$$(a - c) + (-b + d)i \neq (a + c) + (-b - d)i$$

Therefore, III is false.

$$z\bar{z} \quad ? \quad |z|^2$$

$$z = a + bi$$

$$(a + bi)(a - bi) \quad ? \quad |(a + bi)|^2$$

$$a^2 + b^2 \quad ? \quad (\sqrt{a^2 + b^2})^2$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

Therefore, IV is true.

24. C

By DeMoivre's Theorem, for $z = r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)$,
 $z^n = r^n(\cos n\theta + i\sin n\theta)$. Therefore,
 $\left[\sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{9}\right)\right]^6 = (\sqrt{2})^6 \text{cis}\left(6 \times \frac{\pi}{9}\right) = 8\text{cis}\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$.

25. B

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - x}$$

$$f\left(\frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)}$$

$$f\left(\frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{-2-2i\sqrt{3}}{4}\right) - \left(\frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)}$$

$$f\left(\frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \frac{2}{-2} = -1$$

26. A

If point 5 is located at $re^{i\theta}$ where $r > 1$ and $2\pi k < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi k$, the reciprocal of point 5 is equal to $\frac{1}{r}e^{-i\theta}$. Since $r > 1$, $\frac{1}{r} < 1$; and since $2\pi k < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi k$, $-2\pi k > -\theta > -\frac{\pi}{2} - 2\pi k$. Therefore, the reciprocal of point 5 must be inside the unit circle in the quadrant IV, and the only point that satisfies this criteria is point 4.

27. A

$$\begin{vmatrix} 4-\lambda & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 1-\lambda & 1 \\ -4 & -1 & -3-\lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= [(4-\lambda)(1-\lambda)(-3-\lambda) - 8 - 8]$$

$$- [-16(1-\lambda) - (4-\lambda) + 4(-3-\lambda)]$$

$$= [(-12 + 11\lambda + 2\lambda^2 - \lambda^3) - 16]$$

$$+ [16 - 16\lambda + 4 - \lambda + 12 + 4\lambda]$$

$$= -\lambda^3 + 2\lambda^2 - 2\lambda + 4$$

$$= -\lambda^2(\lambda - 2) - 2(\lambda - 2)$$

$$= -(\lambda^2 + 2)(\lambda - 2)$$

$$\lambda = \pm 2i, 2$$

$$\lambda_1 = a_1 + b_1i = 0 + 2i$$

$$\lambda_2 = a_2 - b_2i = 0 - 2i$$

$$\frac{|a_1 + a_2|}{|b_1 + b_2|} = \frac{|0+0|}{|2+2|} = \frac{|0|}{|4|} = 0$$

28. A

$$Z = 2i = 2e^{i90^\circ}$$

$$V = 8e^{i50^\circ}$$

$$V = IZ$$

$$I = \frac{V}{Z} = \frac{8e^{i50^\circ}}{2e^{i90^\circ}} = 4e^{-i40^\circ}$$

29. A

$$P_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{2}|V||I|\cos\phi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}|8e^{i50^\circ}||4e^{-i40^\circ}|\cos(50 - (-40))$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(8)(4)\cos(90)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(8)(4)(0)$$

$$= 0$$

30. B

$$Z = 3\sqrt{3} - 3i = 6e^{-i30^\circ}$$

$$I = 3e^{i25^\circ}$$

$$V = IZ$$

$$V = (3e^{i25^\circ})(6e^{-i30^\circ}) = 18e^{-i5^\circ}$$

$$P_{\text{avg}} = \frac{1}{2}|V||I|\cos\phi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}|18e^{-i5^\circ}||3e^{i25^\circ}|\cos((-5) - 25)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(18)(3)\cos(-30)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(18)(3)\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{2}$$